

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

In response to the Examiner's final Office Action of December 16, 2008 the Applicant respectfully submits the accompanying Amendment of the claims and the following Remarks.

Regarding Amendment

In the Amendment:

independent claim 1 is amended to specify that the processor controls the printer to print, on media web on the media path, the recited particular roll of wallpaper, and that the monitored operation parameters are selected from the group consisting of: printing fluid levels of the printer; remaining length of the media web; tension in the media web; and end-to-end integrity of the media web. Support for this amendment can be found, for example, at page 42, line 29-page 43, line 2 of the present specification; and

dependent claims 8, 9, 14, 21-31, 40, 44, 45, 47 and 48 are unchanged.

It is respectfully submitted that the Amendment does not add any new matter to the present application, nor any new issues to the prosecution of the present application.

Regarding 35 USC 103(a) Rejections

It is respectfully submitted that the subject matter of amended independent claim 1, and claims 8, 9, 14, 21-31, 40, 44, 45, 47 and 48 dependent therefrom, is not taught or suggested by Martin, Okada, Silverbrook and Hashi either taken alone or in view of one another, because amended independent claim 1 specifically recites the manner in which printer is controlled by its structural processor component and limits the monitored operation parameters to those which are not taught or suggested by the cited references for at least the reasons previously discussed by the Applicant.

It is respectfully submitted that the Examiner's rejections have been traversed. Accordingly, it is submitted that the present application is in condition for allowance and reconsideration of the present application is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

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